TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 1559 - HB 1628

May 4, 2009

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (007103): Deletes the original bill in its entirety. Prohibits the Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) from issuing a permit for the disposal of coal ash or for the expansion of an existing coal ash disposal facility unless the plans for such facility include a liner and final cap.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumption applied to amendment:

• According to TDEC, the provisions of the bill as amended codify current regulatory practice.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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